

## WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A method of enabling to configure a home network that has a data processing device and a network access device for access to an external network, the method comprising:
  - monitoring communication between the data processing device and the access device;
  - from the communication monitored extracting information for configuring the home network.
2. The method of claim 1, further comprising configuring the home network based on the information extracted.
3. The method of claim 1, comprising guiding a user how to configure the home network based on the information extracted.
4. The method of claim 1, wherein the information extracted comprises an indication of one or more protocols below the transport level being used in the communication.
5. Software for configuring a home network, wherein the home network has a data processing device and a network access device for access of an external network, the software comprising:
  - a monitor for monitoring communication between the data processing device and the access device; and
  - a configuration program for configuring the home network based on information extracted from the communication monitored.
6. The software of claim 5 wherein the configuration program automatically configures the home network.
7. The software of claim 5, wherein the configuration program guides a user through configuring the home network based on the information extracted.

8. An electronic apparatus for configuring a home network, wherein the home network has a data processing device and a network access device for access of an external network, the apparatus comprising:

- a monitor for monitoring communication between the data processing device and the access device; and
- a configuration program for configuring the home network based on information extracted from the communication monitored.